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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
JOHN A. BECKMAN)
Serial No. 09/025,531) Group Art Unit 3726
Filed: February 18, 1998)
For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING)
A VEHICLE FRAME ASSEMBLY)
INCLUDING HYDROFORMED SIDE)
RAILS HAVING INTEGRALLY) Attorney Docket 1-5119
FORMED MOUNTING AREAS)

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Honorable Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the period of time in which to respond to the Office Action dated May 23, 2000 be extended three months, up to and including November 24, 2000 (November 23, 2000 being a federal holiday), in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a). Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-0005 in the amount of \$890.00 to cover the fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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